

## RULING GIVEN IN ACCOUNTS BOARD

**Holds That Salary of City Official Cannot be Increased or Lowered During His Term.**

**APPLICABLE TO LOCAL CASE**

**Republican Council Majority Expects to Pass Ordinance to Combine Clerk's and Treasurer's Offices.**

Local Democrats who hope to block the ordinance introduced by the Republican council majority to combine the departments of city clerk and treasurer which would result in a saving of \$385 annually for the city, are citing a ruling which has been given by the state board of accounts to the effect that the salary of a city official cannot be changed during his term of office. The council proposed to combine the two departments and give the clerk an additional salary of \$365 for the increased work that would fall upon him under the proposed consolidation. The ordinance will be presented on third reading at the regular session of the city council tomorrow night. Mayor C. W. Burkart Monday, appointed William N. Fox as treasurer for the unexpired term of Samuel H. Amick, resigned.

The ruling from the state board of accounts relative to changing the salary of a city official during his term of office, is given in a communication addressed to Mayor Burkart. It reads:

"Mayor C. W. Burkart, Seymour, Ind.

"Dear Sir:

"Your of the 22nd, at hand relative to increase of salary of a city official during his term of office. "I beg to advise as follows, Section 8655 Burns' R. S. '14 provides that the Common Council shall have power to enact ordinances to fix salaries or compensation of the various officers and employees of the city and provides that no salary or compensation of any officer or employee shall be changed after his election or appointment during the term of his office.

"Section 8644 Burns' R. S. '14 provides as follows:

"That the salaries of such city officers shall be fixed during the month of September preceding the election each four years and shall not be increased or lowered during the term for which any officer may have been elected or appointed."

"Senator Elsner requested that we inform you as to the law in the matter. In accordance with the provisions mentioned above. It would not be legal to raise or lower the salary of a city official during the term of his office.

"Yours very truly,  
"G. H. Hendren,  
State Examiner."

The law provides that the council shall confirm any appointment that is made by the mayor, but whether or not such confirmation is necessary for such appointee performing the duties of such office is not positively known. Some attorneys insist that the confirmation is necessary under the law, while others declare that if the person appointed files his bond and qualifies as provided by law he is entitled to the salary of the position regardless of the action of the council.

The Republican council majority insists that the proper action to be taken is to consolidate the two departments as the work is such as it can be performed by one man and a saving of at least \$385 can be effected for the taxpayers. There is no question but that the proposed consolidation is looked upon with favor by the majority of people here and keen disappointment is expressed quite generally that the Mayor has seen fit to block the move. The Republican council members declare that if they are unable to combine the offices effective immediately, they will pass the ordinance so that it will become effective at the expiration of the present term of office. This meets with the general support of the citizens.

Republican councilmen stated to—

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## GERMAN BARRED FROM INDIANA GRADE SCHOOLS

By United Press.

Indianapolis, February 25.—The German language was barred from Indiana grade schools when the house this afternoon by a vote of 97 to 0, passed the McCray bill under suspension of the rules. The bill prevents the teaching of the German language in all grade schools and provides that the English language shall be used in instruction. German has been used in some private and parochial schools.

## TRUCK REPORTED IN WRECK ARRIVES IN CITY SAFELY

**Cincinnati Dispatch Says Ralph Williams is Injured, But He Didn't Know About It.**

A message received here Monday night from an unofficial source in Cincinnati stated that a truck loaded with furniture and driven by "James" Williams, of Seymour, had been wrecked in that city and that while the driver was not seriously hurt he had a narrow escape from being crushed to death under the furniture when the truck gave down. Investigation here proved that Ralph Williams, of a local garage, had made a trip to Cincinnati with a load of furniture.

Mr. Williams arrived here last night, having made a successful trip to Cincinnati and return. He said that his truck was not wrecked, that the furniture was unloaded for the consignee and that so far as he knew he had not had any "narrow escape" from being crushed to death. The reported wreck was said to have occurred at Cincinnati about the time that Mr. Williams arrived in Seymour. In all other respects, the driver said, the report was true.

## NUMBER OF WITNESSES ARE CALLED BEFORE GRAND JURY

**Attorneys Busy With Preliminary Details of Cases Already Filed in City Court.**

The grand jury entered upon its second day of investigation today, a number of witnesses having been called before the body. S. B. Lowe, prosecuting attorney, has asked the public to assist the grand jury in uncovering alleged violations of law and says that he will appreciate any co-operation that will be given. No cases were heard in circuit court, the day being devoted to formal court work. The attorneys were busy with detail matters relative to cases which they expect to be called for trial during the term.

## SOLDIERS TO RETURN IN ORDER OF THEIR ARRIVAL

**Information Given Out by General Pershing in an Order Made Public Today.**

By United Press. Paris, February 25.—American soldiers will return home in the order of the arrival of their respective divisions headquarters in France. General Pershing announced in general orders made public today. Divisions bearing regular army designations will be excluded however.

Unassigned combat troops together with supply and labor units will be returned in the order of their service, so far as they can be spared. By exception of the so-called regular army divisions the orders would indicate that those units will be maintained as the army of occupation as long as necessary.

## Notice.

The banquet committee of the Chamber of Commerce asks that all who wish to attend the banquet Thursday night buy their tickets by Wednesday noon that the ladies may know how many to prepare for. Chamber of Commerce.

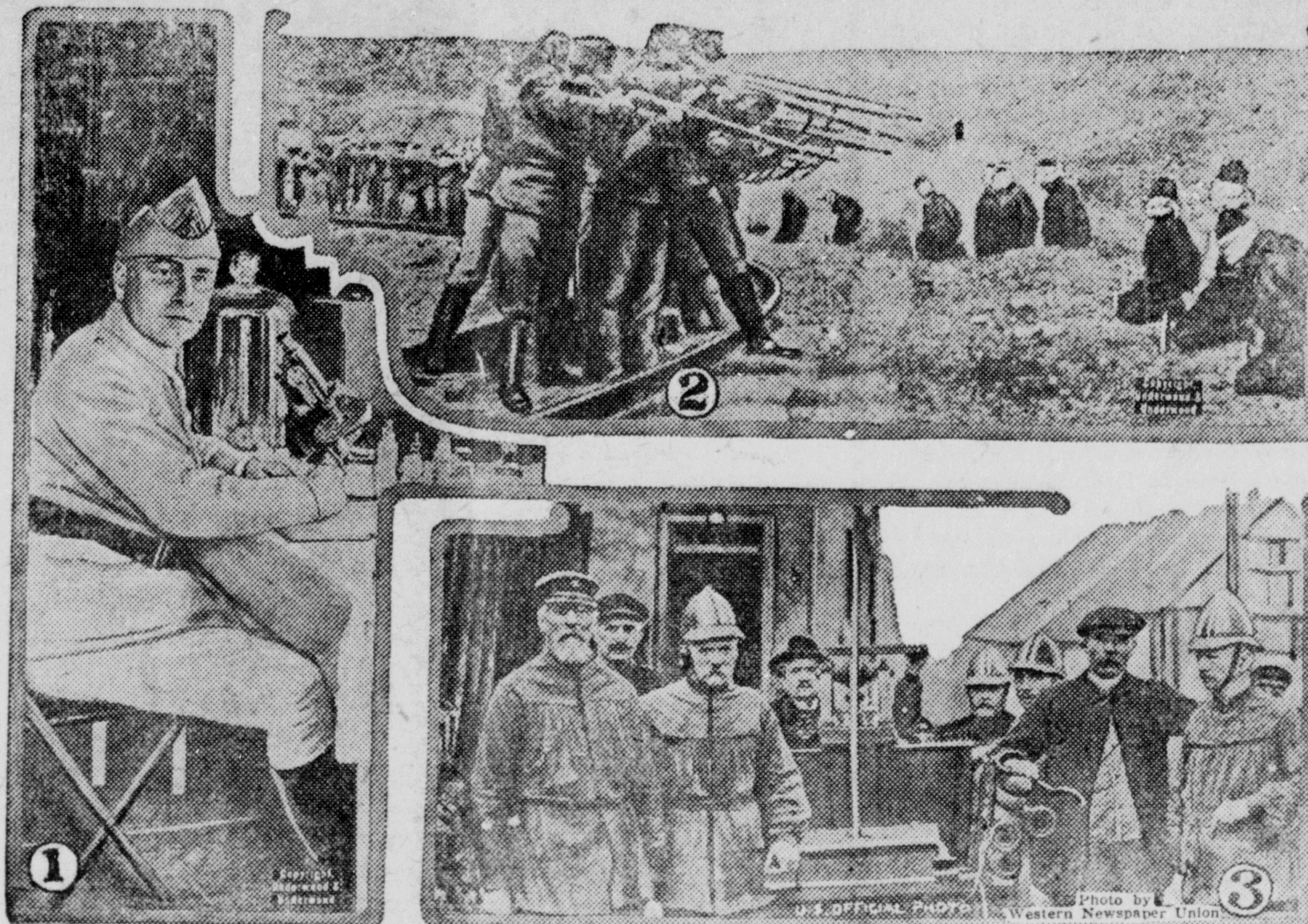
## Entertainment.

An entertainment will be given at the Lutheran Social Aid Society club room, Wednesday, February 26, at 8 p. m. d26d

## Notice.

On account of repairs being made in the S. S. room, there will be no prayer service at the First M. E. church.

Chas. W. Whitman, pastor.



1—Dr. Alexis Carel of the Rockefeller Institute, who has returned after long service in charge of the French field hospital at Montdidier. 2—Photographic proof of the merciless way in which Jugo-Slavs were murdered by the Austrians in Serbia. 3—Local fire department of Montabaur, in German occupied territory, returning from a blaze.

## TEACHERS WATCH SALARY MEASURE

**Several Bills Affecting the Profession are Pending Before the Indiana Legislature.**

## EXTENSION ON RURAL TERM

**One Proposed Law Would Prevent Teacher from Getting License if He "Jumped" Contract**

Probably no Indiana legislature in recent years has considered as many different bills affecting the teaching profession as the one in session. Local teachers are watching the action of the house and senate on these measure as some of them provide for important changes.

One bill which has attracted much attention here is the measure that would prevent a teacher from securing a license for a period of eight years in case a contract is "jumped." In the past some teachers have not taken their contracts with the school authorities very seriously and have resigned during the period of the school term to accept a more profitable position. This practice has frequently caused considerable annoyance and inconvenience to school superintendents and trustees who have found difficulty in finding teachers to complete the unexpired terms. The proposed bill before the legislature would prohibit the state superintendent of public instruction from issuing a license to any teacher within eight years after he surrendered a contract during a school term unless such resignation was acceptable to the school authorities.

The salary measure is another one that is watched with interest. This bill proposes to increase the minimum salary paid to teachers in Indiana and is the result of a shortage of teachers because the compensation offered in other lines of work is higher than that provided for teachers by the state law. This difficulty was found especially in rural communities last year and the state board of education permitted trustees to employ teachers without the usual requirements. Leaders in the teaching profession declare that the educational requirements for teachers are being raised each year so that more money has to be expended on training without adequate returns. They point out that they can find more profitable employment in other lines.

Another bill of general interest to teachers is Representative Rothrock's measure authorizing school trustees to levy an annual tax of not to exceed 75 cents on every \$100 of tax-

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## Notice to Eagles.

Dance Feb. 26th. Each Eagle may bring one friend. f26d Committee.

## CHANGES PROPOSED IN INTERNATIONAL NAVAL LAWS

**Regulations Under Consolidation Would Make Future Wars Practically Impossible.**

By United Press.

Paris, February 25.—Revolutionary changes in international naval laws which, fitting in with the rules of the league of nations which would make war virtually impossible, are now under discussion. Regulations under which munitions are shipped from neutrals to warring countries would be completely overturned. Under their operation "freedom of the seas" would be real.

The principal points favored by the peace delegates, regarding munitions shipments in the future, are:

1. Each nation shall be held responsible for any un-neutral act by its citizens.
2. All contraband must be established at the outbreak of the war and lists cannot be changed during the period of hostilities.
3. As carrying contraband naturally is forbidden, the flag of a non-warring nation flying over a ship would be a guarantee that she was not carrying munitions or other prohibited material.

## WILSON TO START UPON BUSY SPEAKING TOUR

**Debate in Senate on League of Nations Expected to Break Out Any Time.**

By United Press.

Washington, February 25.—President Wilson's speech at Boston, is to be made part of the senate debate on the league of nations, today. It will be put into the congressional record by some administration senators.

Although no formal league speeches have been announced, the air is so full of argument on the subject that debate may break out at any time. Those demanding radical amendment of the league constitution were not greatly impressed today with President Wilson's speech. They are to make some speeches themselves. Senator Borah plans to deliver more than thirty after congress adjourns, beginning at Boston, March 8. He will follow this with a New York speech the same week and then will go to the Pacific coast.

Borah today refuted charges that his speaking tour was being financed by some mysterious interests, which, according to a published report, are being sedulously kept in the background.

## Barbers' Notice.

Beginning on March 1, we will close our shops at 10 p. m. on Saturdays. Every Thursday at 6 p. m. from March 1 to September 1. All day on New Year's, Decoration day, July 4th, Labor day, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

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## TAX REFORM BILL TO BE CONSIDERED

**Senate Ready to Take Action Upon Some of the Administration Measures.**

## ADJOURNMENT IN TWO WEEKS

**House Slashes Many Provisions in Appropriation Bill—County Unit Law.**

By United Press.

Indianapolis, February 25.—With the defeat of the Beardsley-Van-Auken primary bill which would have restored the nominating convention for the selection of party candidates, the Senate today stood ready to take up the administration measures before it. Tomorrow the Dobyns county unit road bill will again be taken up on second reading, having been made a special order or business.

The tax reform bill will be considered by the upper branch in the committee of the whole and acted upon in a single day, according to present plans. With the consideration of these measures and the appropriation bill which was passed by the House late Monday after having been reduced \$80,000 by the lower branch, the Senate will probably be unable to consider any other bills of major consequence this week.

Many bills, other than administration or political bills, will be indefinitely postponed by the Senate when reported out of committee on a divided report, under the Furnas rule enforced today for the first time. Debate in the Senate will also be reduced to seven minutes while it was stated today that the House will probably begin holding night sessions in order to push through the greatest amount of business possible. Two weeks from today the legislature will stand adjourned sine die.

The lower house of the legislature today went on record in favor of abolishment of the public service commission when it adopted a minority report on the Laughlin bill which would restore the old railroad commission. The action came as a surprise when the committee reported out the bill, the majority favoring indefinite postponement, it was expected that the house would adopt it. After some discussion in which the work of the commission was attacked, the minority report recommending passage of the McKinley bill regulating the hours which women may work was amended so that it would limit the hours to nine per day instead of eight and fifty-four a week was adopted. The bill was also amended so that it excepted the following industries: Mercantile establishments, telegraph and telephone companies, laundries, hospitals and restaurants.

The workmen's compensation law (Continued on page 5, column 5)

## PRESIDENT BACK IN THE CAPITAL

**Wilson Completes One of The Most Unique Trips Ever Made by an American Executive.**

**MUCH BUSINESS AWAITS HIM**

**Plans for Conference Tomorrow With Party Leaders—Nominations to Be Made.**

By United Press.

Washington, February 25.—President Wilson returned to Washington early today completing one of the most unique trips in history. Since his departure from home last December, the president has traveled over 12,000 miles, has been made a citizen of approximately 1,600 cities, towns and hamlets in Europe, has been housed in the royal palaces of two kings and one prince, has ridden on the royal trains of two ruling families, delivered nearly two score speeches and short addresses and received six college and university honorary degrees.

He returns to the capital intent upon convincing congress of the need of America's participation in a league of nations. The background of this need he summed up in Providence, R. I., last night when he said that now that Europe has pinned her faith to America, "it would break the heart of the world" if America failed to respond.

The president's day promised to be full. He was expected to give his first explanation of the league of nations constitution to his cabinet this afternoon.

At the same time the president will probably give his official family his plans to obtain nation-wide approval of the league. Because of the president's short stay in this country, it is believed cabinet members will deliver a series of addresses in support of it. This probably will be done while the president is again in France attending the peace conference. Today's cabinet meeting is the first with the president in thirteen weeks and each department head has a report on domestic conditions ready for his attention. Chief among these are the financial and labor situations, which the president will be asked to disentangle and reconstruction work in general.

Secretary of Labor Wilson is anxious that the president reserve at least one day of his short stay for a conference with governors and city officials on the unemployment situation and the general industrial unrest.

The president found a mass of executive duty awaiting him.

About a dozen bills passed in congress were on his desk for approval. There was a mass of personal mail and other communications which had been accumulating since he sailed from France, but he planned to clean this up rapidly.

Several important positions must be filled by him within the next few days, chief among them being a successor to Attorney General Gregory. In addition he will fill vacancies on the interstate commerce commission, the Federal Trade commission and the Federal reserve board.

Conferences with party leaders have been reserved for tomorrow as the democratic national committee meets here then and probably will choose a chairman, Wednesday evening also has been set aside for the dinner with the congressional foreign relations committee to explain "Article Ten" of the constitution of the league of nations.

## Ludendorff in Germany.

By United Press.

London, February 25.—General Ludendorff, former quartermaster general of the German armies, left Sweden for Germany Sunday night, according to advices received here today. The Swedish foreign office is said to have refused his request for a permit to stay in that country.

## We Got 'Em Now.

Columbia Records: "Till We Meet Again," "Rose of No Man's Land," "Ja-da," "You're Some Pretty Doll," "Hawaiian Breezes" waltz. Come early. E. H. Hancock Music Store. Opposite Interurban Station. f26d



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## Soldiers' Letters

### Soissons Battle.

A. Bosanko, a gunner in the Second Canadian Artillery, writing from Chisholm, Minnesota, to this paper relative to the recently printed letter of Serg. Valford Wiethoff. He emphasizes a distinction between the word "retreat" and "retire." Serg. Wiethoff said that the French "retreated" through the lines of the Yankees, evidently meaning that they "retired" to the rear so that the American could take over the sector.

Bosanko's letter follows:  
Editor Seymour Republican.

Sir:  
In your paper of Thursday 20th inst. you printed a letter received from Valford Wiethoff giving his exploits at the battle of Soissons in August last year.

Now there is one thing I wish to contradict. It says the French and English retreated through their lines. (The American line.)

Now I wish to state that I am an old soldier having served since the beginning of 1915 with the Canadians and at the battle mentioned when we retired it was for lack of reinforcements and that is what the Yanks were.

Believe me Sir, the people of this country don't realize the Awful Hell us fellows went through at Ypres and Somme and other engagements before this country came into it.

The battle at Soissons was just like on the 21st of March last year when Fritz made his big push and captured most of our 5th Army and the Portuguese.

Hoping this letter will not offend you. I remain

Late Gunner A. Bosanko,  
2nd Can. Artillery.

Willard Miller, of this city, has sold an automobile tire skiving machine to the Columbus Tire Company, of Columbus, of which Charles B. Hogan, of this city, is proprietor. Mr. Miller recently sold a machine to the Indiana Inside Tire Company, which was organized here with A. L. Walters, president.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Medcalfe arrived in the city Sunday from Los Angeles, Calif., for an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. R. C. Miller, West Fourth street.

Miss Nettie Feagans spent Sunday in Washington as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hepler.

## DAILY HEALTH TALKS

Where Most Sickness Begins and Ends

BY FRANKLIN DUANE, M. D.

It can be said broadly that most human ills begin in the stomach and end in the stomach. Good digestion means good health, and poor digestion means bad health. The minute your stomach fails to properly dispose of the food you eat, troubles begin to crop out in various forms. Indigestion and dyspepsia are the commonest forms, but thin, impure blood, headaches, backaches, pimples, blotches, dizziness, belching, coated tongue, weakness, poor appetite, sleeplessness, coughs, colds and bronchitis are almost as common. There is but one way to have good health, and that is to put and keep your stomach in good order. This is easy to do if you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a wonderful tonic and blood purifier, and is so safe to take, for it is made of roots and herbs. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., stands behind this standard medicine, and it is good to know that so distinguished a physician is proud to have his name identified with it. When you take Golden Medical Discovery, you are getting the benefit of the experience of a doctor whose reputation goes all around the earth. Still more, you get a temperance medicine that contains not a drop of alcohol or narcotic of any kind. Long ago Dr. Pierce combined certain valuable vegetable ingredients—without the use of alcohol—so that these remedies always have been strictly temperance medicines.

If piles are torturing you, get and use Pierce's Anodyne Pile Ointment. The quick relief it gives is hard to believe until you try it. If constipated, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken while using Anodyne Pile Ointment. Few indeed are the cases which these splendid remedies will not relieve and usually overcome. They are so good that nearly every drug store has them for sale.

## MANY VIOLATIONS OF FOOD AND DRUG LAWS REPORTED

Short Weights and Failure to Properly Label Cereal Adulterants Most Common.

Indianapolis, February 25—Violations of the food and drug laws, of a widely varied character, are disclosed in the reports of the inspectors of the food and drug division, to Dr. Harry E. Barnard, chief, for the past two weeks. Although the violations are general over the state, the most flagrant are being found in Indianapolis, according to Dr. Barnard. In the city, out of 75 meat samples taken during the past week, only 33, or less than half were found to be in conformity with the state laws. The remainder constituted violations ranging from short weight to failure properly to label cereal adulterants.

In thirty-one of the seventy-five samples short weights, ranging from one ounce to four ounces to the pound, were disclosed. In each instance the dealer charged for the full weight and accepted the advertised price for his meat.

In nine of the samples cereals were found, without the required legal label on the package. In some of these cases the dealers displayed signs in their shops, stating that cereal was used in making-up sausages and hamburger. Such announcement, the food and drug commissioner has held, is insufficient. He declares that the housewife is entitled, when meat is delivered into her kitchen, to the knowledge that cereal has been mixed with the meat, and this information is impossible, when the announcement is restricted to a sign, displayed on the shop wall, and there is no printed announcement of the fact on the wrapper of the package, the food and drug commissioner holds there is a fracture of the law, once for each delivery.

In two cases the meat was found to contain preservatives, of a character absolutely prohibited by the state laws. No excuse is accepted for this violation. The food and drug commissioner insists there is no justification whatever for this practice. The anti-preservative law, as directed toward meat, intended for human consumption, is one of the oldest and best known, he says, and dealers who resort to the use of preservatives, are flirting with the courts.

In addition to the meat samples, inspectors of the division are collecting samples of canned goods and foods that are advertised as substitutes for staples. These will be analyzed for adulterants, misbranding and other possible violations of the Indiana statutes. Up to this time no flagrant cases have been discovered in connection with this phase of the inspectors' activities.

Samples of soft drinks, with which the state has been deluged in recent months, likewise are being subjected to the chemists' tests. The state laws relative to misbranding and adulteration are held as applicable to these products, as to meats and other foods. The state food and drug commissioner has ruled that where a patron orders cider or lemonade, he is entitled to just what he calls for, and is not to be subjected to "something just as good," but not made from natural products.

### MRS. H. A. CAROTHERS DEAD.

Funeral to be Held Wednesday From Home of Jess Blevins.

Mrs. Hester A. Carothers, wife of J. N. Carothers of this city, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jess Blevins, 616 North Walnut street, Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock following several days illness resulting from complicated diseases. The funeral will be held at the Blevins home Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, the Rev. F. A. Hayward, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Interment will be conducted at the Brownstown cemetery at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Carothers was born in 1843 just across the line separating Jackson and Washington counties. In 1870 she was married to J. N. Carothers and for two periods of several years each made this country their home. It was only two years ago that Mr. and Mrs. Carothers came to this city for permanent residence. Mrs. Carothers was a member of the First M. E. church of this city.

The deceased is survived by a husband, four daughters, Mrs. Mary D. Persinger, Mrs. Margaret Jones, Elwood, Mrs. Jess Blevins, Seymour and Mrs. Ida Mae Busi, Medora; one son, John W. Carothers, Elwood; five sisters all of Washington county, Mrs. Alta Foster, Mrs. Mary Barkman, Mrs. Caroline Nicholson, Mrs. Dice Bundy, Mrs. Rachel Jones and one brother, Philander Pollock, Illinois.

Mrs. Harry French went to Cincinnati this morning where she will visit a short time.

### Your Garden.

(By H. C. Henderson, H. S. Agricultural director.)

Have you made your garden plan for the coming season? If not it is time to get busy so that you can determine how much seed you need and order it early. Sit down some evening soon with your family and put your 1919 garden on paper.

How much of each vegetable are you going to plant? Provide for the needs of your family in the rows you allow for each vegetable. Do not plan the rows too close thereby preventing easy cultivation nor waste space by making the rows too far apart. Always plant in rows rather than beds; and do not make paths through the garden unless necessary. If your plot is large enough for wheel hoe cultivation, plan the rows the long way of the garden.

Rotate the crops; that is plan to put tomatoes where cabbage was planted, cabbage where there were tomatoes and so on. Also group the various crops. Perennials such as asparagus or rhubarb should be placed at one side; next to them the group of earliest vegetables such as early radishes, early peas, leaf lettuce and early turnips. Next the groups that may be planted a few weeks later such as onions, chard and cabbage; then the ones that may be planted when the weather starts to get warm such as bush string beans; finally the rows of tomatoes, peppers, cucumbers and squash.

Arrange in the plan for companion and succession cropping, that is when one crop is harvested, another vegetable may be sown between the old rows or new plantings in the space vacated. Do not be content to raise a single crop when two or three are possible.

If there is a variation in the soil in different parts of the garden, that must be considered. If part of the soil is higher and drier than the rest, plant the early crops there to give them the advantage of a quick warm soil. Grow a large enough garden to supply both summer and winter vegetables.

### Southwest Mission Notice.

Rev. F. A. Hayward announces that there will be no meeting at the Southwest Mission tonight as previously planned.

### Scout Troop 2.

The Seymour Boy Scouts, Troop No. 2, will not meet tonight.

Rev. F. A. Hayward.

Mrs. J. M. Temple and Mrs. R. A. Temple went to Louisville this morning for a short visit.

# Make the Pennies Bigger

When James Buchanan was President and tall beaver hats were in vogue; when gentlemen wore broad cravats and ladies wore hoop skirts, the pennies they tossed to children were big as quarters. But the cart-wheel coppers your grandfather got for keeping his lace collar clean were not as big in buying power as the pennies of today.

A penny then might buy a pastry, or ten of them take one to the Fair, but your great-aunt and great-uncle couldn't have gone to a movie at any price.

Your great-gran'ther may have driven the fastest horse in the country and paid a tidy sum for it. But the price of a stable of thoroughbreds would not have bought him a fliver.

Sixty years ago the ladies could go shopping for dry goods and buy silks that would make you green with envy, linens that were linens and broadcloths that beggar description. But what their favorite store did not have they usually got along without.

You can pick up your daily newspaper and in fifteen minutes you can know what the different shops are offering in fabrics, patterns, varieties and qualities that great-grandmother never dreamed could be gathered together under any conditions.

Times have changed, and so have merchandise and business methods. One of the influences that has helped to bring

about so much of change, that has helped to multiply opportunities and increased the spending size of our pennies is advertising.

Every merchant, every manufacturer knows that advertising materially reduces selling costs by increasing the demand for and the distribution of the products of hundreds of thousands of mills. Indeed many of the things we count today as necessities or simple luxuries could not be made and sold at their reasonable prices except as advertising has created a broad market for them, making millions of sales at little prices and little profits.

And so you owe very much to advertising. You owe much to the people of yesterday who have read and been influenced by past advertising and so have made possible the economies and varieties and wide distribution of merchandise that you enjoy.

You owe present advertising a thorough reading. A greater familiarity with advertising, with advertisers and advertised merchandise makes continually for the increased size of your pennies.

## GREAT FRENCH SACRIFICE CALLS FOR WORLD'S GRATITUDE

The French have suffered and bled more than any other nation at war. Of her 36 million population, 6 million were placed in the trenches and have poured out their blood on the altar of Liberty. America will ever remember this heroic sacrifice. It is likewise not unkind of the great service to the world rendered by the French peasants who have given it a perfect remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal disorders, which is reported to have relieved incalculable suffering, saved thousands of lives and prevented innumerable surgical operations. Geo. H. Mayr, prominent Chicago chemist, imports and sells it in this country under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Druggists Everywhere.

### WRIST BROKEN.

Frank Woehrman Meets With Accident "Cranking" Auto Motor.

Frank Woehrman, Bobtown, discovered Monday that it was just about as safe to play with the hind hoofs of a two-year-old mule as to crank a Ford. He rode over to Cortland yesterday and finding it necessary to "get out and turn 'er over" grasped the crank shaft of the Ford "commencer" and gave it a twist. On the inside of the engine there was a funny noise and Mr. Woehrman felt certain disagreeable pains in a limp right arm. The back fire had broken his wrist. He hurried to this city to get the fracture treated.

Mr. Woehrman's accident may freshen in local people's minds the story that is told about a certain colored man of this city. Recently a group of citizens were attracted by the strenuous efforts of a colored man to crank a flivver. During the operation the engine back fired, not breaking the man's arm, but causing him to jump at the sudden reversed whirling of the shaft. Noticing the hilarity that was by that time very much in evidence on the street corner, he grabbed the crank in both hands and hurled it at the machine

## PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at public auction at my residence, three miles southeast of Seymour, one-half mile west of the New Driftwood church, three-fourths of a mile east of Stop 73, on

Thursday, February 27th

Beginning at 9:30 a. m.

5 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES: 1 brood mare, six years old; 1 mule four years old; 1 mule eleven years old; 2 coming two years old. 10 HEAD OF CATTLE: 1 Holstein male, registered; 4 Holstein heifers coming two years old; 5 Jersey milk cows, three of which have calves by side, two to be fresh in the near future.

3 BROOD SOWS: 1 of which is a spotted Poland; 18 shoats weighing fifty pounds each. 6 head of good sheep.

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Have sold my farm, am moving to the city, and this property must be sold regardless of price. Don't fail to attend this sale and get your share of the bargains while they last.

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Charles B. Thomas, son of Mrs. Alice Thomas, of Greencastle, came here Monday night and will assume

the management of the Thomas Clothing Company until his brother, J. B. Thomas, returns from France where he is with the American army of occupation. Charles Thomas has just returned from France, having enlisted in a aero division.

## MONEY TO LOAN TO FARMERS

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## The President's Address

Mechanics Hall Boston, February 24.—President Wilson speaking before a great audience here said in part:

Governor Coolidge, Mr. Mayor, Fellow Citizens: I wonder if you are half as glad to see me as I am to see you. It warms my heart to see a great body of my fellow citizens again, because in some respects during the recent months I have been very lonely indeed without your comradeship and counsel, and I tried at every step of the work which fell to me to recall what I was sure would be your counsel with regard to the great matters which were under consideration.

I do not want you to think that I have not been appreciative of the extraordinarily generous reception which was given to me on the other side, in saying that it makes me very happy to get home again. I do not mean to say that I was not very deeply touched by the cries that came from the great crowds on the other side. But I want to say to you in all honesty that I felt them to be a call of greeting to you rather than to me.

I did not feel that the greeting was personal. I had in my heart the overruling pride of being your representative and of receiving the plaudits of men everywhere who felt that your hearts beat with theirs in the cause of liberty. There was no mistaking the tone in the voices of these great crowds. It was not a tone of mere greeting; it was not a tone of mere generous welcome. It was the calling of comrade to comrade; the cries that come from men who say: "We have waited for this day when the friends of liberty should come across the sea and shake hands with us to see that a new world was constructed upon a new basis and foundation of justice and right."

I have not come to report the proceedings of the results of the proceedings of the peace conference; that would be premature. I can say that I have received very happy impressions from this conference; the impression that while there are many differences of judgment, while there are some divergences of object, there is nevertheless a common spirit and a common realization of the necessity of setting up new standards of right in the world.

Because the men who are in conference in Paris realize as keenly as any American can realize that

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they are not the masters of their people; that they are the servants of their people and that the spirit of their people has awakened to a new purpose and a new conception of their power to realize that purpose, and that no man dare go home from that conference and report anything less noble than was expected of it.

The conference seems to you to go slowly; from day to day in Paris it seems to go slowly, but I wonder if you realize the complexity of the task which it has undertaken. It seems as if the settlements of this war affect, and affect directly, every great and I sometimes think, every small nation in the world, and no one decision can prudently be made which is not properly linked in with the great series of other decisions which must accompany it. And it must be reckoned in with the final result if the real quality and character of that result is to be properly judged.

What we are doing is to hear the whole case; hear it from the mouths of the men most interested; hear it from those who are officially commissioned to state it; hear the rival claims; hear the claims that affect new nationalities, that affect new areas of the world, that affect new commercial and economic connection that have been established by the great world war through which we have gone. And I have been struck by the moderateness of those who have represented national claims. I can testify that I have nowhere seen the gleam of passion. I have seen earnestness; I have seen tears come to the eyes of men who plead for downtrodden people whom they were privileged to speak for, but they were not the tears of anguish—they were the tears of ardent hope.

And I don't see how any man can fail to have been subdued by these pleas, subdued to this feeling, that he was not there to assert an individual judgment of his own, but to try to assist the cause of humanity.

And in the midst of it all every interest seeks out first of all, when it reaches Paris, the representatives of the United States. Why? Because—and I think I am stating the most wonderful fact in history—because there is no nation in Europe that suspects the motives of the United States.

When it is desired to send a small force of soldiers to occupy a piece of territory where it is thought nobody else will be welcome they ask for American soldiers. And where other soldiers would be looked upon with suspicion and perhaps met with resistance the American soldier is welcomed with acclaim.

I have had so many grounds for pride on the other side of the water that I am very thankful that they are not grounds for personal pride. I'd be the most stuckup can in the world. And it has been an infinite pleasure to me to see those gallant soldiers of ours, of whom the constitution of the United States made me the proud commander. You made me proud of the 26th Division but I commanded the 26th Division and see what they did under my direction. And everybody praises the American soldier with the feeling that in praising him he is subtracting from the credit of no one else.

I have been searching for the fundamental fact that converted Europe to believe in us. Before this war Europe did not believe in us as she does now. She did not believe in us

throughout the first three years of the war. She seems really to have believed that we were holding off because we thought we could make more by staying out than by going in. And all of a sudden, in a short eighteen months, the whole verdict is reversed. There can be but one explanation for it. They saw what we did—that without making a single claim we put all our men and all our means at the disposal of those who were fighting for their homes, in the first instance, but for a cause, the cause of human rights and justice, and that we went in, not to support their national claims, but to support the great cause which they held in common.

And when they saw that America not only held ideals but acted ideals, they were converted to America and became firm partisans of those ideals.

I met a group of scholars when I was in Paris—some gentlemen from one of the Greek universities who had come to see me, and in whose presence, or rather, in the presence of those traditions of learning, I felt very young indeed.

I told them that I had one of the delightful revenges that sometimes comes to a man. All my life I had heard men speak with a sort of condescension of ideals and of idealists, and particularly those separated, encloistered persons whom they choose to term academic, who were in the habit of uttering ideals in the free atmosphere when they clash with nobody in particular.

And I said I have had this sweet revenge. Speaking with perfect frankness in the name of the people of the United States I have uttered as the objects of the great war ideals, and nothing but ideals, and the war has been won by that inspiration. Men were fighting with tense muscle and lowered head until they came to realize those things, feeling they were fighting for their lives and their

country, and when these accents of what it was all about reached them from America they lifted their heads, they raised their eyes to heaven, when they saw men in khaki coming across the sea in the spirit of crusaders and they found that there were strange men, reckless of danger not only, but reckless because they seemed to see something that made that danger worth while. Men have testified to me in Europe that our men were possessed by something that they could not only call a religious fervor. They were not like any of the other soldiers. They had a vision they had a dream, and they were fighting in the dream, and fighting in the dream they turned the whole tide of battle and it never came back.

And now these ideals have wrought this new magic that all the peoples of Europe are buoyed up and confident in the spirit of hope, because they believe that we are at the eve of a new age in the world when nations will support one another in every moral and every physical strength to see that the right shall prevail.

If America were at this junction to fail the world what would come of it? I do not mean any disrespect to any other great people when I say that America is the hope of the world; and if she does not justify

that hope the results are unthinkable. Men will be thrown back upon the bitterness of disappointment not only, but the bitterness of despair. All nations will be set up as hostile camps again; the men at the peace conference will go home with their heads upon their breasts, knowing that they have failed—for they were bidden not to come home from there until they did something more than sign a treaty of peace.

Suppose we sign the treaty of peace and that it is the most satisfactory treaty of peace that the confusing elements of the modern world

will afford and go home and thing about our labors; we will know that we have left written upon the historic table at Versailles, upon which Vergennes and Benjamin Franklin wrote their names, nothing but a modern scrap of paper; no nations united to defend it, no great forces combined to make it good, no assurance given to the downtrodden and fearful people of the world that they shall be safe. Any man who thinks that America will take part in giving the world any such rebuff

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## Welcome him with home baking.

"Home" to our boys means mother and the folks first—and home-eating next. Army rations are nourishing, but *nothing* can compare with the home-made bread, pies and cakes that mother gives him.

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## SOCIAL EVENTS

### KERR—HALL.

A most beautiful and impressive wedding ceremony occurred Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Presbyterian church when Miss Margaret E. Kerr, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kerr, of Indiana avenue plighted her troth to Mr. Harold S. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall of Seymour, Ind., in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The altar was beautifully twined with smilax, and banked with palms and ferns, and a number of white lilies lent their fragrance and beauty to the occasion. On the communion table in front of the altar was placed a large French basket of pink roses tied with lavender tulle bow. Messrs. Lyman Hall and Bert Case, of Muncie, were ushers. As the guests were assembling an organ recital was given by Mrs. H. H. Stretch, who played an offertory by Batiste, and "Spring Song," by Memor. Mrs. Blanche Kerr Brock of Greensfork, sang "Because." To the strains of Lohegrin's wedding march, played by Mrs. Stretch, accompanied by Miss Mary Stretch, the bride and groom marched to the altar where the double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. M. M. LeCount. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played as a recessional. The bride's blonde beauty was greatly enhanced by her exquisite gown of oversea blue georgette beaded in jet and embroidered in blue. She wore a large black hat of maline trimmed with jet and glistened ostrich tips. She carried a bouquet of white roses and orchids. Mrs. Stretch, Miss Stretch and Mrs. Brock wore corsage bouquets of pink and lavender sweet peas. Mrs. Kerr was handsomely gowned in gray georgette and wore a black hat.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Kerr home, for the relatives and a few intimate friends. The rooms were fragrant with lavender and pink sweet peas in wall pockets and also pink roses were used. In the dining room a large French basket of the roses tied with a lavender tulle bow was used on the table most effectively. White candles in crystal holders were also used. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, the ice cream being in the form of pink roses and the cakes were iced white with lavender sweet peas. The mints were also white with the lavender sweet peas. Mrs. Blanche Hunt and Mrs. T. F. Wright assisted in serving.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall left on a ten days' honeymoon trip and after that time will be at home at Seymour. The bride's going away suit was taupe broadcloth, with which she wore a becoming black hat and black furs. Mrs. Hall is one of Newcastle's most charming young women. She is a member of the Psi Iota Xi sorority, and with her lovely manner has won many friends. Mr. Hall is a promising young business man of Seymour, and has many friends here having for a number of years resided in Newcastle.—Newcastle Courier.

Among the out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall, Mr. and Mrs. John Hall and Miss Mabel Hall, of this city.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goforth entertained a number of little folks this afternoon at their home on East Brown street in honor of the third birthday anniversary of their daughter Anna Louise. The decorations were in patriotic keeping with Washington's birthday. Flowers and ferns were also used throughout the home. The afternoon was spent with games and music and light refreshments were served.

The guests were Jeanette Sutton, Alberta Goforth, Marguerite Stanfield, Lois Henderson, Eileen Ferry, Dorothy Steinkamp, Frances Burton, Helen Clark, Millicent and Jene Mae Lahne, Joe Goss, William Francis Kinkade, Donald Clark, Harold Stanfield, Alvin Burton, Everett Riehl and Charles Jones, of Indianapolis.

### ENTERTAIN FOR GUEST.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter entertained Monday evening at their home, 313 North Broadway, in honor of their guest, Mrs. Jesse Leland, of Madison. The rooms were decorated with patriotic colors. The evening was spent with progressive ruck. At the close of the game a dainty luncheon was served.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Swengle, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barkman, Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Carter, Mrs. Maude Boas, Mrs. W. A. Carter, Mrs. Eliza Stratton, Misses Anna E. Carter, Anna Holland Carter, Juanita and Mary Katherine Swengle, Messrs. H. H. Carter, Robert Clark and Tracy Carter, and the honor guest, Mrs. Leland.

### ENTERTAIN.

In honor of the fifteenth birthday anniversary of their son, Cecil Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones entertained a number of young people Monday evening at their home, 512 North Chestnut street. Light refreshments were served during the evening.

Those present were Misses Margaret Guthrie, Catherine Rider, Marian Crabb, Miriam Rinne, Mary Billings, Elsie Rider, Agnes Andrews, Louise Carter and Dorothy Spanagel; Allen Hannauer, Robert Graessle, Charles Maple, Weldon Davis, Mack Shiel William Mains, Maurice Mackey, Garrison Humes and Earl Parker.

### PIE SUPPER.

The Washington Birthday pie supper given Monday evening by the Who Do class of the Park Mission Sunday School, was well attended. The proceeds amounted to \$21.05 and were donated to the Sunday School. A program consisting of music by the orchestra and some recitations was given before the pies were auctioned. Some of the pies were sold as high as \$2.50.

### FAREWELL PARTY.

A farewell party was given Sunday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Sweany at their home near Uniontown. Mr. and Mrs. Sweany and family expect to leave in a few days for Paris Crossing for future residence. About thirty-eight friends and neighbors were present. Refreshments were served.

### LUTES—DAVIS.

Miss Elsie Lutes and Earl Davis, both of Salt Creek township, were married at ten o'clock this morning at the clerk's office in Brownstown, by Rev. Francis Moore pastor of the Brownstown Presbyterian church.

### COMING EVENTS

#### WEDNESDAY—

K. K. Club with Mrs. K. D. Mann, near Farmington.

Lutheran Young Ladies Society at Club House.

Priscilla Club with Mrs. J. T. Jones, N. Chestnut.

Baptist Home Department Class No. 1 with Mrs. Joseph Harsh.

Eastern Star Club with Mrs. J. W. Hustedt. (Afternoon.)

#### THURSDAY—

Lutheran Ladies Society at the Club House.

Catholic Ladies Aid Society at the K. of C. Hall (Afternoon.)

Friendship Circle of the Trinity M. E. Sunday School with Miss Gracia Hauenschild.

#### FRIDAY—

Methodist Aid Society at church parlors.

Christian Aid Society at the church.

Baptist Sewing Society at the church.

Amitie Club with Mrs. Ernest Walser, West Fourth street.

French Circle with Miss Elsie Aufferberg.

HeDove Club with Miss Viola Ahlbrand, South Walnut.

Cloverleaf Club with Mrs. T. R. Carter, North Broadway.

Friday Magazine Club with Mrs. B. F. Schneek.



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## The Returned Soldier

Is putting away his uniform and is again donning civilian clothes. His suits have not been worn for months. They are wrinkled and probably a little soiled. But they are too good to throw away. He wants to put them in the best possible condition so he takes them to the

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### Speaks at Aurora.

Dr. A. G. Osterman went to Aurora this afternoon where he will speak tonight at a joint meeting of the Dearborn and Ohio county medical societies. He has been selected as a speaker by the Service Welfare Commission for the Fourth district and will deliver a number of addresses on the prevention of venereal diseases. The meeting at Aurora will be open to the public.

### BRIEF INFORMATION.

The carelessness of smokers and the ignorance of children are to be blamed for most of the fires which occurred in New York during the last year.

Consul A. T. Haeberle reports from Pernambuco, Brazil, that the consulate would be interested in receiving catalogues of seeds or any articles pertaining to horticulture, as well as catalogues of thoroughbred cattle.

An English army officer is the inventor of a flexible false bottom that can be attached to trucks for rapidly unloading them by turning two cranks.

Allen language newspapers in Canada are rapidly adopting English.

A cellulose factory at Krogstad, Norway, will double its capital stock with a view to enlarging its capacity and introducing a process for making alcohol from sulphuric waste.

### CARRIERS' HONOR ROLL FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Four Carriers of the Daily Republican are "Over the Top" This Month.

Last Saturday was the last weekly report for the month of February by the carrier boys of the Daily Republican. Ten carriers made the honor roll this month, and of these four are "over the top." The honor roll is based on the percentage of collections made during the month by each carrier. The following is the list.

**OVER THE TOP HONORS**  
Earl McCann .....101.89  
Louis Schaefer .....101.02  
Lloyd Shafer .....100.61  
Edwin Sullivan .....100.57  
**FIRST LINE TRENCH HONORS**  
Joe Andrews ..... 99.74  
Garrison Humes ..... 99.01  
Earl Dieck ..... 97.76  
Paul Lange ..... 93.93  
Owen Carter ..... 92.69  
Newton Day ..... 92.20

Muslin Signs, "NO HUNTING NOR TRESPASSING" for posting your farm, 10c each, 90c per dozen, at Republican Office.

## "Say it with Flowers"

Whatever the occasion—a birth, a death, a joy, a sorrow—you can best show your pleasure or sympathy by saying it with flowers.

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**Interurban Station**  
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### RULING GIVEN BY ACCOUNTS BOARD

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day that they are not disposed to entangle the city into any law suit which would be expensive as they believe it would be more economical to postpone the combination of the departments until later. The fact remains, however, that the two departments are useless in this city and sooner or later the two offices will be consolidated.

It is further pointed out that the state board of accounts had previously stated that it would approve the increased salary for the city clerk if the consolidation were effected and the plan could have been made effective immediately in accordance with the wish of the majority of the people, if the attempt to block the movement had not been made.

### Calling Cards.

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## The New Waist-Seam Suits For Young Men

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### PERSONAL

Elza Jones, of Indianapolis, is visiting in this city.

G. H. Anderson spent the day in Louisville on business.

J. W. Jackson, of Cortland, transacted business here today.

L. A. Hornaday went to Indianapolis this morning on business.

Ernest Ault, of near Cortland, was a business visitor here today.

Ed Schneider, of Dudleytown, transacted business here today.

Adam Schmidt made a business trip to Columbus this morning.

Elizabeth England, of Mooney, was in Seymour today shopping.

John Langston, of Cortland, transacted business here today.

Ernest Kasting, south of Seymour, was a business caller here today.

Charles O. Foster, of Uniontown, transacted business here today.

H. T. Whitesides, of Louisville, transacted business here today.

John Anderson, of near Cortland, was a business caller here today.

George Shank, of Walnut Grove, was a business caller here today.

Charles Schneider, of Columbus, transacted business here Monday.

Henry Surrencamp went to Indianapolis Sunday for a short visit.

Ernest Beatty, of near Hayden, was a business visitor here today.

George Childers, of Louisville, was a visitor in this city Monday.

Abram Rutan, of near Cortland, was a business visitor in town today.

Hazel Claycamp, of near Cortland, was a shopping visitor in this city.

George Kasting, who resides south of town, was here today on business.

Wm. Poppenhau, of Waymansville, was a business caller here today.

Mrs. J. C. Tullis went to Mitchell this morning for a short business visit.

Miss Lucile Morarity, of Mitchell, is visiting friends here for a few days.

Mrs. C. E. Smith and two children have gone to Mitchell to visit relatives.

J. J. Ackeret, of Redding township, transacted business in town today.

Mrs. H. K. Dannettell, east of Seymour, was here this morning shopping.

Mrs. Charles Henderson, of Fort Ritner, was in Seymour this morning shopping.

Mrs. Medford Downing went to Paris Crossing this morning to visit relatives.

Rev. U. M. McGuire, of Indianapolis, is spending several days here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. August Elsner, of Redding township, were in town today shopping.

John Neighbors, of North Vernon, transacted business here today enroute to Columbus.

Riley Waterbury, of Louisville, came today to attend the funeral of his brother, Reul Waterbury.

Mrs. Elizabeth Waterbury, of Indianapolis, is here to attend the funeral of Reul Waterbury.

Mrs. Mollie Elkins, of Columbus, went to Surprise this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Sam Owen.

Mrs. Ray Elkins of Columbus, went to Cortland this morning to visit her mother, Mrs. Ruth Allman.

Miss Edith Benzel returned to her home in Bedford Monday after a week-end visit with Miss Edna Kasting.

Mrs. Otto Hartman was called to Cincinnati this morning on account of the illness of her niece, Mrs. Roy Heiner.

Miss Helen Siener, of North Vernon, returned to her home this morning after a several days' visit with friends.

A. E. Fitch, of Columbus, deputy agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, transacted business here today.

Mrs. Ed Horning went to Indianapolis this morning for a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Whittington.

N. V. Trautman returned to his home in Louisville this morning after a short business visit in Medora and this city.

Miss Kathleen Schooley, of Indianapolis, went to Vallonia this morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Schooley.

Mrs. Ralph Linkhart and daughter returned to North Vernon this morning after a short visit with her father, W. H. Howe and family.

Dave Hawkins, of Edinburg, was in town today enroute to Browns-town from Jonesville, where he has been visiting relatives for several days.

Mrs. Lola Curry, of Medora, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Hunsucker for several days, returned to her home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rodenburg, of Indianapolis, were in town today transacting business and visiting Mr.

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J. G. Laupus and daughter, Miss Myra, have gone to St. Petersburg, Fla. They will also visit other points in the south before returning to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sumner have returned to Noblesville after spending a month in this city with their son and family, W. O. Sumner, West Fifth street.

### GROSS INCOME INCLUDES PRACTICALLY ALL RECEIPTS

Further Explanation is Made of Provisions for Filing Income Tax Return.

Collectors of Internal Revenue are receiving frequent inquiries as to the amount to be included under "gross income" in their income tax returns.

In making out his return of gross income the taxpayer is required to account for practically every dollar he received during 1918. The following items must be reported:

Salaries, wages and commissions for personal services, including bonuses.

Interest received on notes, and deposits in banks including savings banks.

Dividends on stock, whether received in cash or stock.

Only dividends paid out of earnings or profits accrued since March 1, 1913, are taxable, but dividends are deemed to be distributed out of the most recently accumulated earnings.

Profits resulting from purchases and sales of property, real or personal. If the property was purchased before March 1, 1913, the profit is based on the difference between the selling price and the fair market value or price as of March 1, 1913.

Profit from stock market transactions.

Income received from fiduciaries, that is amounts received from income of estates trusts, etc., through trustees, administrators or executors.

Net partnership profits whether divided or distributed or not.

Royalties from mines, oil and gas wells, patents, copyrights and franchises.

The following items are not taxable and need not be included in the return:

Property received as a gift or by will or inheritance. It must be understood, however, that the income derived from such property is taxable.

Proceeds of life insurance policies. Return of premiums on life endowment and annuity policies.

Interest on securities issued under the provisions of the Federal Farm Loan Act of July 17 1916.

Amounts received through accident or health insurance or under workmen's compensation acts plus the amount of damages received whether by suit or agreement on account of such injuries or sickness.

Amounts received during the war by a person in the military or naval forces for active service up to \$3,500.

Interest on obligations of any State or political sub-division of a State, such as a city, county, town or village, and the District of Columbia.

Interest on obligations of the United States is exempt, except that interest on obligations issued after September 1, 1917, is exempt only to the extent provided in the Liberty Loan Acts.

Interest on Liberty Bonds to the par value of \$5,000 is exempt from all taxation. Holders of large amounts of Liberty Bonds are advised to consult their bankers or collectors of internal revenue as to their interest exemptions.

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### TAX REFORM BILL TO BE CONSIDERED (Continued from first page)

was amended many ways in the house, the chief change being the striking out of the increase from fifty-five to sixty-five percent. of wages to be collected by an employee for injuries. Changes in these two measures slashed to pieces the legislative program which labor interests of the state had mapped out. A committee report recommending killing the Winesburg constitutional amendment to make the attorney-general appointive by the Governor was adopted. This in no way affects the bill which would make the attorney-general appointive.

The Van Auker joint resolution recommending that all appointive positions be given to discharged soldiers was recommended for passage in the house.

In the senate the Munton bill allowing railroads to condemn property and remove obstructions at crossings was passed.

Other bills passed were: The Negley bill allowing \$10 a day salary to deputy examiners of the state board of accounts.

Senator Self introduced a bill allowing Harrison county to donate the sight of the old state capitol at Corydon to the state.

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Mrs. Joseph Roberts of Seattle, Wash., visited friends here this morning enroute to her home from Brownstown, where she spent three weeks with her father, Albert Luedtke.

Mrs. Oscar Cox and children went to Norman Station this morning for a short visit. They formerly lived at Bloomington, Ills., but will make Seymour their home.

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White Line, washing powder. 4c	Mackerel, each. .... 15c
Daylight soap, bar. .... 5c	White fish, each, 2 for. .... 15c
White Cloud soap, bar. .... 5c	Kraut, 2 lb. .... 15c
Swifts Pride soap, bar. .... 6c	1 lb Rumford baking powder, can. .... 25c
Lenox soap, bar. .... 6c	1 lb Calumet baking powder, can. .... 25c
Swifts White soap, bar. .... 6c	Rice flour, lb. .... 5c
Double Dip matches, box. .... 5c	Sultan Seedless raisins for pies, lb. .... 15c
Search Light matches, box. .... 6c	Box raisins. .... 13 and 15c
Spotless Cleanser, box. .... 5c	Salted peanuts, lb. .... 20c
Navy beans, lb. .... 11c	
Butter beans, lb. .... 15c	
Peanut butter, No. 1 lb. .... 20c	

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### TEACHERS WATCH SALARY MEASURE

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ble property and 25 cents on each poll to be used as a supplemental tuition fund. This measure was passed in the house on Feb. 5, 70 to 11. It has been reported favorably by the senate committee on education.

Representative Vesey has introduced a bill which provides for discontinuance of annual examinations and authorizes the state board of education to issue life certificates to teachers who have qualified for such certificates.

Representative Wood has offered a measure which would extend the school terms in rural schools from six to eight months a year upon petition of a majority of the parents or guardians of the pupils in the school.

Mrs. Logan Robinson and Mrs. James Burcham returned to their home in Vallonia yesterday after a several days' visit in Indianapolis.



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### THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

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and disappointment as that does not know America.

The arrangements of the present peace can not stand a generation unless they are guaranteed by the united forces of the civilized world.

And if we do not guarantee them, can not you see the picture? Your hearts have instructed you where the burden of this war fell. It did not fall upon the national treasuries; it did not fall upon the instruments of administration; it did not fall upon the resources of the nations. It fell upon the victims' homes everywhere, where women were toiling in hope that their men would come back.

When I think of the homes upon which dull despair would settle where this great hope is disappointed, I should wish for my part never to have had America play any part whatever in this attempt to emancipate the world. But I talk as if there was any question. I have no more doubt of the verdict of America in this matter than I have doubt of the blood that is in me.

And so, my fellow citizens, I have come back to report progress, and I do not believe that the progress is going to stop short of the goal. The nations of the world have set their heads now to do a great thing and they are not going to slacken their purpose. And when I speak of the nations of the world I do not speak of the governments of the world. I speak of the peoples who constitute the nations of the world. They are in the saddle and they are going to see to it that if their present governments do not do their will, some other governments shall. And the secret is out and the present governments know it.

I have come back for a strenuous attempt to transact business for a little while in America but I have really come back to say to you, in all soberness and honesty, that I have been trying my best to speak your thoughts.

When I sample myself, I think I find that I am a typical American, and if I sample deep enough, and get down to what is probably the true stuff of a man, then I have hope that it's part of the stuff that is like the other fellow's at home.

And, therefore, probing deep in my heart and trying to see that the things that are right without regard to the things that may be debated as expedient, I feel that I am interpreting the purpose and the thought of America; and in loving America I find I have joined the great majority of my fellow men throughout the world.

### BUFFALO.

Mrs. A. W. McMahon and daughter, Mrs. Harriet Morland, spent Wednesday with Winfrey Lutes and family at Houston.

H. Cummings, of near Yellowstone, has been repairing J. B. Cross' house.

Mrs. May Lutes and children and sister, Mrs. Ethel Garlock, left Friday for Gas City to spend a few days with their father, Sam Wilds, and family.

Elisha Fleetwood from the west part of the township is moving on the J. B. Cross farm.

Cash Garlock and wife of near Beck's Grove spent Sunday with Oscar Weekly and family.

Mrs. Harriet Morland, who has been teaching school at Mt. Nebo, Brown county, has resigned and Miss Lelia Cross will finish the term.

Walter Moseley, of Uniontown, was a business visitor in Seymour today.

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## WANT UNITED STATES TO TAKE ON SOME OF GERMAN COLONIES

Feeling in England That America Should Discard Her Traditional Aloofness and Assume Administration of Part of Captured Lands—New Form of Colonial Control Is Being Advocated.

By LLOYD ALLEN,  
Special Staff Correspondent.

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London.—"Will America be willing to take on some of the German colonies or Turkish possessions in the near East?"

That is a question that is uppermost in the minds of a large section of the governing class of England. Men who have led British political thought for years believe that we "should assume some of the responsibility of governing the lands captured from the Germans and Turks," as one leading British publicist told me recently. There is a double reason back of this idea.

First of all, America is an English-speaking nation that can be trusted to administer wisely and well the destinies of a less-enlightened people.

Secondly, "it is only through actual participation in the responsibilities of looking after far-away colonies that America can ever appreciate the true state of mind of the British people of all classes, upper, middle and lower, on this delicate subject of empire," it is stated by several prominent propagandists.

### Division of Colonies.

At this stage of the peace negotiations the question of dividing the colonies is a matter on which no public man is anxious to go on record. But unofficially the subject is attracting wide attention. Too many interests are involved to invite outspoken discussion. There are larger problems that must first be solved: The limitation of armaments, freedom of the seas and above all other subjects, formation of a league of nations. Once these are disposed of the colonial knot will probably be quickly cut.

It is with implicit faith in the ultimate outcome of these basic affairs that the intelligent Briton outlines his belief that America, if she is to remain as a leading factor in world politics, must go into the colony business.

Should such a course be embarked on by the United States, should we take, for instance, the administration of Palestine and Armenia and possibly some of the former German lands in South Africa, it would be put on the same platform that the best elements in England accept for India; namely, that sooner or later India will develop into a dominion capable of self-government, like Canada and Australia, and must then be given every freedom to determine her own destiny.

The same principles would apply to the subject African states—ultimate freedom to choose whether or not the ties that bind to the mother country must be cut, or allowed to remain.

### Answerable to League of Nations.

Through all the days of American administration—and it is admitted many of these days would prove irksome and expensive—America would be answerable to the league of nations for her actions in the territory held in trust, just as the other European powers, England, France and Italy, will be answerable to the league of nations for any maladministration of subject peoples.

In brief, intelligent England is recommending for world consideration a new form of colonial control, with the feeling that the world has outgrown the days when a Spanish tyrant could terrorize Cuba, or a brutalized German government could commit atrocities in South Africa.

There is in America a somewhat general belief that the average British citizen takes great pride in the large colonial possessions of his country; that he gloats with much satisfaction over the fact that Great Britain controls something like one-quarter of the inhabitable portions of the world.

Our ideas on this subject are not exactly correct. There is a large element in the citizenship of this country that is dead against the proposal to acquire any more territorial possessions. In fact, among the Labor party, which is showing unusual strength these days, there is a firm conviction that India must soon be allowed to say what her government shall be.

### Problems to Be Solved.

Here we have another side of the problem that many predict will be solved by providing for enlightenment of the uncivilized colonial peoples, and by introducing into colonial government a number of reforms—prohibition of the sale of alcohol to natives, first of all, and next the establishment of welfare departments calculated to better the living conditions of the natives.

Much effort is being expended here in England to start fundamental reforms in the attitude toward the colonies. Booklets are being issued and are just off the press. One entitled "Windows of Freedom" carries an introduction by Viscount Grey.

"America's Place in World Government" is given considerable space. It is strongly pointed out that "none of the territories outside Europe detached by this war from the German and Turkish empires can in the near future provide peace, order and good government for themselves. How to provide government for these territories is the most difficult of the questions which the conference has to face. From a hundred lips and pens the

answer will come that the solution lies in international control. The league of nations will solve the problem.

The booklet then emphasizes that the league of nations, in itself, cannot provide actual government for the colonies; that government must be furnished by one of the associated powers, acting in a way as agent for the league of nations and of course responsible to the league.

### Freedom Is Secured.

"The control of the four continents has fallen, or is now falling, to the free peoples of the earth," the booklet with the Viscount Grey introduction states, and by that control the existence of freedom is secured, not only in Europe, but also in America and Australia.

"But what is the effect of this victory to be on Asia, Africa and the scattered remnants of primitive society who inhabit a hundred Pacific Isles? In the end the effect must be that they, too, will achieve the art of governing themselves. But the question, how soon can the end be reached, depends on a right understanding by the free nations who now control the world of the delicate and complex nature of the problem. Failure to grasp it will not only delay the end but may yet set the civilized world by the ears," in brief, may yet form the grounds for another war.

Injected into this idea is a strong plea for the utmost fairness in exploiting the territorial natural resources, which must not be considered the property of any one nation, but must be open to all.

There is no sentiment expressed in the publications now being issued on the colonial problem against any feature of the fourteen points laid down in President Wilson's peace declaration. Instead, there is shown an effort to make these points harmonize with the arguments advanced for American participation in colonial government.

President Wilson's fifth clause, in the notable fourteen points, asks for "A free, open-minded and absolutely impartial adjustment of all colonial claims based upon a strict observance of the principle that in determining all such questions of sovereignty the interests of the populations concerned must have equal weight with the equitable claims of the government whose title is to be determined."

The whole point at issue, according to this recently published British view, is that no government shall claim exclusive title to the captured lands, but that one government must take the responsibility of administration and be responsible in turn to an international tribunal.

Clause twelve of the president's peace terms provide for the lopping off of Armenia and Palestine from Turkey and insist that these one-time subject states shall "be assured an undoubted security of life and an absolutely unmolested opportunity of autonomous development," which opportunity, it is pointed out here, would most assuredly be provided were America acting as a kind of big brother to the Armenians and people of Palestine.

Far-seeing British thinkers that America will discard her traditional aloofness, and become custodian of the Armenians, of Palestine, and take charge even of the Dardanelles, maintaining an open-door policy, a policy the British will undoubtedly strongly urge on the French and Italian governments as an expedient in wise territorial government.

It is even being urged that we take over the task of preserving the autonomy of Persia and Arabia.

That America possesses knowledge for handling such a large assignment is undoubted. It is pointed out that Roberts college and the American missions in the near East have given us a preponderant share, if not a monopoly, of public-spirited men, many of them natives of this section of the world who consequently have first-hand knowledge of these regions.

Incidentally, from the near East, America could promote railroad construction without offense to the British, and could assist in that most vexatious problem of the day, the restoration of Russia, the blind giant among nations, the Grey booklet says.

### RECORD IN SHOE PRODUCTION

Despite Labor Troubles, the Past Year Was Banner One for Shoe Factories at Brockton.

Brockton, Mass.—Despite labor troubles, the past year was a banner one for the big shoe factories here. More than 16,000,000 pairs of shoes were manufactured and shipped to various parts of the world. The army shoe contracts, of course, helped to swell the total. The total production of shoes for the year 1918 exceeded the record of 1917 by 1,428,075 pairs. The value of the 1918 production was \$95,068,220, nearly \$30,000,000 greater than the value of the previous year's output.

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### ACME.

On account of illness and five of our family being ill with influenza, our items failed to appear for the last three weeks.

Born, to Clarence Isaacs and wife, February 5th, 1919, a son, and to A. M. Browning and wife February 9, a daughter.

Guy Simmons, who has pneumonia, is slowly recovering.

Twenty families, averaging five to the family, who live within a mile of this place, have the influenza. Those who are seriously ill are Will Carr and wife, Mrs. Raymond Wilson and her mother, Mrs. Shelia, Miss Gertrude Gilbert. The remainder are improving.

Berry Reedy, who had the influenza, and A. J. Nelson, who has been very ill, are improving.

J. W. White is quite ill. Fred Roberts, who has been ill with lung trouble for several weeks, is reported improving, which will be good news to his many friends.

Rev. McCoy, of Freetown, filled his regular appointment at the Acme U. B. church Sunday.

Harold Claycamp went to Danville last week, where he will attend college. Miss Gladys Coffman, of Seymour, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Isaacs for two weeks, went Friday to stay with Mrs. Elsworth Ault, her sister, who has the influenza, and will remain several days.

O. R. Anderson had a valuable young cow to break her neck last week. Elder C. M. Anderson was called to Anderson last Friday, where he will take charge of the Christian church at that place.

John Anderson has sold his personal property and will move to Indianapolis, where he has a good position. George Reichenbocker, Jr. attended the mule sale at Seymour last week. Albert Heiman is now running A. M. Browning's huckster truck.

A. C. Gleason, of Reddington, who formerly lived at this place, attended the Wilson sale at this place last week.

Roy Gilbert is quite ill.

Property at the Wilson sale sold well. One ordinary cow sold for \$171.

Miss Daisy Brooks, who has been at Indianapolis for the last week visiting relatives, returned to her home at this place Sunday.

Miss Ellie Rucker, who has been A. M. Browning's head clerk for the past year, resigned her position last week and will keep house for her brother, Arthur.

A social party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lewis Saturday night and a host of young people were invited. A good time was had until a late hour when they returned to their homes, thanking Mr. and Mrs. Lewis for their hospitality.

L. J. Estep and wife will start Tuesday for Wichita, Kansas, where they will make their future home. Mr. Estep has procured a very lucrative position at that place in the oil fields as overseer. We regret to lose these good people.

Last Saturday Hamlin Rutan and Miss Bertha Rucker drove to the U. B. parsonage at Freetown and were quietly married. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Rucker of this place and the groom is a young and industrious farmer of Spraytown. They are both highly respected and industrious young people and have a host of friends who wish them happiness and prosperity. They will go to housekeeping on the groom's farm near Spraytown in the near future.

Dr. Ackerman, of Houston, was called to W. H. Wells Monday to treat his wife, who is suffering with heart trouble.

### ECLIPSE.

The sick are all better at present.

Mrs. Julia Cummings is ill with influenza, the only new case we have had the last week.

Rev. Jephtha Edwards, of Washington, visited relatives here the latter part of last week.

Church was not very well attended Sunday morning and Sunday night on account of so much sickness.

Some of the people from here attended the picture show at Clearspring Saturday night given by the county agent, and enjoyed it very much.

Mrs. Addie Weddle was brought here from Bedford for burial last Wednesday. Rev. Robolt conducted the funeral and she was laid to rest in the Liberty cemetery. She was a sister of Mrs. Carrie Cummings of this place.

### Obituary.

Addie Flora Edwards was born March 26, 1877, died February 17, 1919, age 41 years, 10 months and 21 days. She was married to Thomas Weddle July 3, 1895. Six children were born to this union, five daughters and one son, all of whom survive. She leaves a bright testimony to many that were at her bedside that she was ready to go and that all was well with her soul. Many relatives and friends are left to mourn her loss.

### SULPHUR SPRINGS.

Mrs. Minerva Glasson and daughter, Mrs. Lula Gillespie spent last Sunday with Miss Viola Shank.

Howard Johnson and family, of Seymour visited last Sunday in the family of Chas. Johnson.

Henry Smith's sale was largely attended and all things sold well.

Mr. and Mrs. John Finke went to Columbus last Tuesday and got them a new boy, Wiley Dickman, who will take the place of Charles Henchey, who will leave for Illinois soon.

A. M. Brown, John Finke, William Kruege, Jas. Reddick and Henry Smith each bought hogs at the Robertson sale last Wednesday.

Edward Blaney will work this summer for Oliver Shank on the farm. James Montgomery and family and Henrietta Montgomery took dinner Sunday with Wiley Montgomery and family.

Lieut. Grover Summa arrived from Texas last week for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Summa.

Mrs. Lula Swengel and two daughters, of Seymour, visited Sunday with A. M. Brown and wife.

Muslin Signs, "NO HUNTING NOR TRESPASSING" for posting your farm, 10c each, 90c per dozen, at Republican Office.

### MEDORA.

Bruce Byarley, of Indianapolis, is putting in a vulcanizing plant next door to Smith's blacksmith shop.

Mrs. Bell Smith, who has been ill for some time, passed away Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, age 57 years. She is survived by a husband and two children, Mrs. Albert Prather and Hansel Smith, both of Medora. The funeral services were held Wednesday from the U. B. church. Burial at Heighon Hill.

Mrs. Cora Hunsucker, of Seymour, was here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Belle Smith.

John Smith and family and Horace Smith and family, of Anderson, were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Belle Smith.

Carl Roller, who has been in service, has received his honorable discharge.

John Suckles, who has been ill for some time, is much worse.

Mrs. John Hamilton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Kesner, of Brownstown, who is ill.

Mrs. M. E. Downing and son, of Seymour, were called to Medora on account of the illness of her uncle, John Suckles.

Mrs. Belle Downing, of Crothersville, is visiting her brother, John Suckles, who is critically ill.

Robert Hinderlider was called to St. Louis on account of the sickness of his wife, who is visiting her sister.

Hubert Wilson, the son of O. Wilson, who is in the U. S. Navy, is home on a ten days' furlough.

Miss Constance Weddle and Mrs. Ralph Goss were callers at Seymour Saturday.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holmes, Friday. Miss Mary Holmes and Hugh Curry, son of Polk Curry, of Leesville, were united in marriage. An elaborate wedding dinner was served Saturday.

Several from here went to Brownstown Friday night to witness the basketball game.

Miss Mary Gallion is visiting in Seymour.

Miss Gretchel Lockman made a business trip to Seymour Saturday.

Miss Orville Rink was a caller at Seymour Saturday.

Miss Eva Calaway, daughter of Lafa Calaway, of Medora, and Earl Hardy, son of William Hardy, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at the bride's home. After the ceremony the bride and groom went to their home south of town. Many good wishes follow them.

### Obituary.

Mrs. Belle Fountain Smith, daughter of William and Easter Fountain and wife of George W. Smith, was born June 2, 1861; departed this life February 17, 1919, aged 57 years, eight months and 15 days.

The deceased was united in marriage to G. W. Smith March 1, 1883. To this union four children were born, one dying in infancy and one at about three years of age.

Sister Smith united with the United Brethren church when a mere child and was always faithful to her church and her religious duties. She leaves to mourn their loss her aged mother, Grandma Fountain, a husband, brother, Wash Smith, and children, Mrs. Bernice Prather and Hansel Smith, one grandchild, Helen Louise Prather, two sisters, Mrs. Rettie Julian, of Medora, and Mrs. Bertha Shortridge, of Wabash, with many other relatives and friends. Sister Smith was regarded as a good woman and one whose affliction extended over a period of twenty-five years. Her suffering was intense and she gradually grew weaker until 2:45 p. m. Monday, when she surrendered all her claims to this life and peacefully entered into that rest that alone remains for the children of God. We would all do well to emulate her devotion. Funeral services were held from the U. B. Church Thursday afternoon, February 19. Services conducted by Rev. J. W. Gilley, pastor.

### REDDINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Everhart, of Seymour, spent Sunday evening with Cyrus Sweaty and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Enis McClintock and son, Elmer, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Meade Davis, of Columbus.

Wm. Helt and wife entertained Rev. and Mrs. Guin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davis took dinner Thursday with Mrs. Eliza Davis.

Geo. Baldwin and family visited Sunday with the family of Claude Beem.

Miss Lura Sweany called on Lou and Eva Sweany Sunday evening.

Mary Catherine, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hazard, is ill.

Mrs. Jane Easter, of Columbus, spent one day last week with relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sparks and son and Harmon Miller and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Enis McClintock and son, Elmer, took dinner Saturday with Mrs. Pearl McClintock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mettett, of Ackert's Chapel, spent Sunday with Willis Hazard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hazard and Mrs. Alice Hazard called on Mrs. Daisy Foist, of near Scipio, who is seriously ill, Sunday evening.

Francis Bunton, of Cincinnati, visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bunton.

Mrs. Libbey Beatty, of Dayton, O., has come for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Davis.

Mrs. Eliza Davis spent one day last week with her son, Geo. Davis and wife.

### EAST GRASSY FORK.

Jesse Collins and wife and son, Debron, made a business trip to Seymour Wednesday.

Henry Rebber made a business trip to Seymour Thursday.

Nancy Johnson, Mrs. Joe Blair and son, Loyal, visited Mr. and Mrs. John F. Johnson, Sunday.

Quite a number of young folks gathered in the home of Lee Childers Thursday evening and gave them a great surprise.

Raymond Meek is confined to his bed.

Alice Brewer, who is staying at Elijah Briner's at Crothersville, visited her home folks, Mr. J. F. Johnson and family Sunday.

Several from East Grassy attended the pie supper at Fodderville Friday night.

C. B. Lewis is ill with the gripe.

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### Obituary.

Elizabeth Richardson, daughter of William Richardson and wife, was born near Maumee, Ind., Sept. 9, 1846, and departed this life near Freetown, Ind., Feb. 19, 1919. Aged seventy-two years, five months and ten days.

She was united in marriage to Thomas Tatlock. To this union were born three children, Mrs. Magrett Moore, of Saybrook, Ill., Mrs. Minnie Lucas, of Greensburg, Kansas, and a son, who died in infancy. Mr. Tatlock having served in the Union Army during the civil war, contracted a malady which proved fatal shortly afterwards.

In July, 1881, she was united in marriage to William Mitchell, with whom she lived until her demise. To this union were born six children, Jacob, who preceded her to rest some eighteen years ago, Elmer, who died in infancy, Mrs. Mary E. Dean, of Hartford City, Everett E. of Indianapolis, Mrs. Carrie M. Denny, of this place, and a daughter, Hettie, who died in infancy. Many grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. Also two step-sons, George and William Mitchell.

She associated herself with the United Brethren in Christ at Taylor's Chapel, testifying to her faith in Christ as a personal Saviour, and exemplifying Him in her daily life and conduct.

During her illness of nearly twelve weeks since Nov. 30, she was patient and long suffering, enduring her affliction without complaint, realizing full well that in the end all would be as it should.

"Aunt Lizz" as she was familiarly known, was a loving and esteemed friend, and an untiring neighbor ready to give assistance to anyone in need or distress, supporting the gift with a word of cheer.

As a wife and mother she spared no pains or opportunity to show her love and devotion to her loved ones, always willing and glad to do any sacrifice for them.

The husband and children have sustained a loss which is beyond calculation.

Besides those mentioned she had other relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends through the sickness and death of our wife and mother, Elizabeth Mitchell, To The Rev. McCoy for his consoling words, to the undertaker, Mr. Winkpleck, to the U. B. church of Freetown for their floral offering, and to the people of Taylor's Chapel for their service. Husband and Children.

### NORMAN STATION





# The RIVER

## EDNAH AIKEN

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Close by men were putting in with care the seed that was to quicken the river silt. They were passing a square where the green tips of the grain were piercing the ground. Now they were abreast of a field of matured alfalfa over which the wind raced gratefully. Desert and grain field; death and life! The panorama embraced the whole cycle.

They went back to their seats. After a few minutes the other leaned over his shoulder, his hand waving toward the passing mountains. "Those are the Superstition mountains you can see over yonder. An unusually apt name."

"Yes?"

"Why is it good, you mean? That pile of dark rock stands as a monument to an effete superstition. It is the gravestone for a gigantic mistake. Why, it was only the grossest ignorance that gave to the desert the label of 'bad lands.' The desert is a condition, not a fact. Here you see the passing of the condition, the burial of the superstition. Are you interested in irrigation?"

Rickard was not given to explain the degree of interest his profession involved, for the stranger drew a painful breath, and went on.

"Of course you are, if you are a western man. You are, I think?"

The engineer said he was, by choice. "Irrigation is the creed of the West. Gold brought people to this country; water, scientifically applied, will keep them here. Look at Riverside. And we are at the primer stage only. We are way behind the ancients in information on that subject. I learned at school, so did you, that some of the most glorious civilizations flourished in spite of the desert which surrounded them. That was only half a truth. They were great because of it! Why did the Incas choose the desert when their strength gave them the choice of the continent of South America? Why did the Aztecs settle in the desert?"

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when they might easily have preempted the watered regions? Then there are the Carthaginians, the Toltecs, the Moors. And one never forgets Egypt!"

"For protection," Rickard gave the slightest question an interested recognition. "Was that not what we were taught at school? The forest held foes, animal and human. Those nations grew to their strength and power in the desert by virtue of its isolation."

"Superstition!" retorted the man with the tie. "We are babes at the breast measured by the wisdom of the men who settled Damascus, or compared with the Toltecs, or those ancient tribes who settled in northern India. They recognized the value of aridity. They knew its threefold worth."

"An inherent value?" demanded the college-bred man, turning from the window.

"An inherent value," declared the exponent of aridity.

"Will you tell me just what you mean?"

"Not in one session! Look yonder. That's Brawley. When I came through here ten years ago I could have had my pick of this land at 25 cents an acre. They were working at this scheme then—on paper. I was not alive to the possibilities then; I had not yet lived in Utah!"

The train was slowing up by a brand new yellow-painted station. There were several dusty automobiles waiting by the track, a few faded surreys and the inevitable country hotel bus. The platform was swarming with alert, vigorous faces, distinctly of the American type.

The man in the seat beside him asked Rickard if he observed the general average of intelligence in the faces of the crowd below. Rickard acknowledged that he had been struck by that, not only here but at Imperial Junction, where he had waited for the train.

"There is a club in the valley, lately started, a university club which admits as members those who have had at least two years of college training. The list numbers three hundred already. The first meeting was held last week in an empty new store in Imperial. If it had not been for the setting we might have been at Ann Arbor or Palo Alto. The costumes were a little motley, but the talk sounded like home."

The dust blowing in through the car doors brought on another fit of strangling. Rickard turned again to the window, to the active scene which denied the presence of desert beyond.

"The doctors say it will have to be the desert always for me," the stranger tapped his chest significantly. "But it is exile no longer—not in an irrigated country. For the reason of irrigation! It is the progressive man, the man with ideas, or the man who is willing to take them, who comes into this desert country. If he has not had education it is forced upon him. I saw it worked out in Utah. I was there several years. Irrigation means co-operation. That is, to me, the chief value of aridity."

The wind, though still blowing through the car and ruffling the train dust, was carrying less of grit and sand. To the nostrils of Rickard and his new acquaintance it brought the pleasing suggestion of grassy meadows, of willow-lined streams and fragrant fields.

"It is the accepted idea that this valley is attracting a superior class of men because of its temperance stand. It is the other way round. The valley stood for temperance because of the sort of men who had settled here, the men of the irrigation type."

The engineer's ear criticized "irrigation type." He began to suspect that he had picked up a crank.

"The desert offers a man special advantages, social, industrial and agricultural. It is no accident that you find a certain sort of man here."

"I suppose you mean that the struggle necessary to develop such a country, under such stern conditions, develops of necessity strong men?" evolved Rickard. "Oh, yes, I believe that, too."

"Oh, more than that. It is not so much the struggle as the necessity for co-operation. The mutual dependence is one of the blessings of aridity."

"One of the blessings of aridity!" echoed his listener. "You are a philosopher." He had not yet touched the other's thought at the spring.

"You might as well call me a socialist because I praise irrigation in that it stands for the small farm unit," retorted the valley man. "That is one of its flats; the small unit. It is the small farm that pays. That fact brings many advantages. What is the charm of Riverside? It comes to me always like the unreal dream of the socialist come true. It is a city of farms, of small farms, where a man may make his living off his ten acres of oranges or lemons; and with all the comforts and conveniences of a city within reach, his neighbors not ten miles off! A farmer in Riverside or in any irrigated community does not have to postpone living for himself or his family until he can sell the farm! He can go to church, can walk there; the trolley car which passes his door takes him to a public library or the opera house. His children ride to school. His wife does not need to be a drudge. The bread wagon and the steam laundry wagon stop at her door."

Rickard observed that perhaps he did not know anything about irrigation after all! He had not thought of it before in its sociological relation but merely as it touched his profession.

"Not going into soil values, for that is a long story," began the older man, "irrigation is the answer which science gives to the agriculturist who is impatient of haphazard methods. Irrigation is not a compromise, as so many believe who know nothing about it. It is a distinct advantage over the old-fashioned methods."

"I am one of those who always thought it a compromise," admitted the engineer.

"Better call it a compromise," retorted the irrigator. "The man who irrigates gives water to the tree which needs it; rain nourishes one



"Brandon's My Name."

tree and drowns out another. Irrigation is an insurance policy against drought, a guarantee against floods. The farmer who has once operated an irrigated farm would be as impatient were he again subjected to the caprice of rain as a housewife would be were she compelled to wait for rain to fill her washtub. There is no irregularity or caprice about irrigation."

"Wonder how the old fellow picked it all up?" mused Rickard with respect. Aloud he said, "You were speaking of the value of the soil?"

"Look at the earth those plows are turning over. See how rich and friable it is, how it crumbles? You can dig for hundreds of feet and still find that sort of soil, eight hundred feet down! It is disintegrated rock and leaf mold brought in here in the making of a delta. Heavy rainfalls are rare here, though we have had them, in spite of popular opinion. Were we to have frequent rains the chemical properties which rain farmers must buy to enrich their worn-out soils would be leached out, drained from the soil. I can't think this comprehensive, but I've a monograph on desert soil. If you are interested I'll send it to you."

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"I should like it—immensely," assented the engineer, still amused.

"It explains the choice of the Aztecs, of the Incas, of Carthaginians, the Moors," observed the stranger. "They chose the desert, not in spite of the soil but because of it. I doubt if they were awake to the social advantages of the system, but it was their co-operative brotherhood that helped them to their glory. We are centuries behind them. I'm getting out here—Imperial. If you come up to Imperial look me up. Brandon's my name. I've no card these days!"

"There are several things I want to hear from you," answered Rickard, following brown necktie and pointed beard to the platform. "I'll be sure to look you up. Mine's Rickard."

The breeze which was now entering the car windows had blown over the clover-leaved fields. Its message was sweet and fresh. Rickard could see the canals leading off like silver threads to the homes and farms of the future; "the socialists' dream come true!" Willows of two or three years' growth outlined the banks. Here and there a tent or a ramada set up a brave defiance against the hard conditions of the land it was invading. Rickard leaned out of the window and looked back up the valley which was dominated by the range now wrapping around itself gauzy, iridescent draperies.

"The monument to an effete superstition!" he repeated. "That wasn't a bad idea."

(To be continued.)

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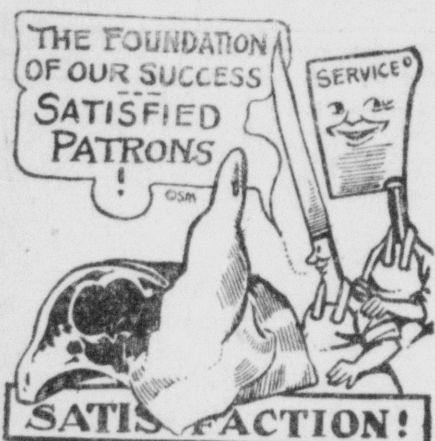
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"I happened to meet one of the fellows I had known in the States who had just returned from the front, a licensed aviator. He promised to take me for a ride and, having always had a longing for a little joy ride through the clouds, I decided to take a chance. At a set time I met him at an aviation camp, where he invited me to get into his 'red devil' bombing plane. I could see nothing red about it excepting the stripes on the bottom of the plane. I jumped into the seat, from which I could see the top of Archie's head from his eyes up, so I couldn't tell whether he was laughing or not, or wore a serious smile, but his eyes twinkled merrily as we arose from the meadow into the unknown ether.

### Sublime Sensation.

"The earth seemed to be dropping away from us, rather than that we were moving. I had previously told the old kid that it was my first trip aloft, and because of that I would rather not have him try any antics with his steed for fear of upsetting my digestive apparatus; so, without mishap we climbed, coasted and remained motionless, then climbed again.

"If one can call a sensation 'beautiful' this would be the place to use that word. A more beautiful, serene or sublime sensation cannot be found on land or sea. It makes a fellow feel as though he were suspended from heaven by a manila rope and that one of the angels were swinging him around.

"Once in a while the top of some church steeple would be caught in the sun's rays and reflect back a sharp ray of light, which only added to the novelty of the event. I was thus amusing myself by taking a glance downward once in a while, but never for very long at a time. The earth seemed like a relief map or a mechanical drawing of some sort. I was rudely awakened just about that time by Archie sticking up his index finger and glancing at the 'ometer.' I forgot just what kind of an 'ometer' it was, but I read on it, to my amazement, that we were up in the air 5,000 feet; a mile in the air and I felt as safe as though I had been riding first class in some French 'chemin de fer' (railway train).

"We were gliding along at the rate of just 100 miles an hour, but the earth didn't seem to be retreating that fast.

### Prepares for Worst.

"But, hist! the plot thickens. Upon commencing the downward glide I noticed a peculiar twinkle in the optics of Archie, and I prepared for the worst. I knew he was going to try something, and sure enough he pointed the nose of the consarned chariot of his right down toward terra firma, and if I hadn't been buckled in tighter'n a clam in that gum-foozled bucket I'd have been left far behind, probably hanging on to one corner of the new moon or landed on one of the race tracks of Saturn.

"At any rate, the sensation you get when you come down on a fast elevator has absolutely nothing on this sensation. My entrails, including my gullet, were camped right on the roof of my mouth, and although this nose dive of his only lasted a minute or two, it seemed as though it must have been at least two months. But the toboggan finally righted itself and we coasted a good ten miles before the propeller started its monotonous humming again.

"Oh, it was a gay life, but he didn't try any more tactics, but volplaned to the earth as beautifully as a chicken takes a dust bath, and it was only an hour after we had started until we landed again in almost the identical spot from which the ascent had been made."

### Marriage License.

The following licenses were issued today at the clerk's office at Browns-town:

Earl Davis to Elsie Lutes, both of Salt Creek township.

Arthur Morris to Lillian Comer, both of Seymour.

## Majestic Theatre WEDNESDAY Matinee-Night

Special Attraction  
**Mrs. Charlie Chaplin [Mildred Harris]**

in a seven act super-production  
Entitled  
**"For Husbands Only"**

PRICES:  
Lower floor 25c., balcony 15c., plus war tax. Matinee 15-25c., plus war tax.

## Majestic Theatre TONIGHT

BEGINNING AT 7:00 P. M.  
A Program of High Class Movies Featuring the World's Greatest Stars.

Clara Kimball Young  
and her own company  
—in—

**"MAGDA"**  
adapted from the famous stage success

PRICES: Lower Floor 10c. Balcony 5c. Plus 10 Per Cent. War Tax. Matinee 5c to All.

To-Morrow: Mrs. Charlie Chaplin in a six act super-production  
**"FOR HUSBANDS ONLY"**

REMEMBER WE GIVE AWAY \$5.00 IN GOLD EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT

## In 1658

Blish Flour was good enough for Priscilla and John Alden's wedding cake. The old Blish mill on Massachusetts Bay made good flour in 1658, but nothing like

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is now. We built our reputation on what it was; we stake our reputation on what it is.

**Blish Milling Company**  
"Millers in Colonial Days"

### NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

Mrs. M. Fox has received word that her daughter, Mrs. Rose Driscoll, of Indianapolis, has the Spanish influenza.

Mrs. Guy Delong, of Cortland, underwent an operation at the Schneck hospital this morning for appendicitis.

Charles W. Graessle, who travels for the Diem & Wing Paper Company, is confined to his home on North Poplar street this week on account of illness.

Eugene Schmitt, who has been stationed at Vancouver, Wash., has been transferred to Camp Taylor where he expects to be mustered out of service some time this week.

Rev. F. W. McKain of Sardinia, was here this morning on his way to Freetown. He was called there by a telegram stating that his sister, Miss Stella McKain, is seriously ill with pneumonia following an attack of influenza. She has been in poor health for several years. Her home is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McKain, about three miles north of Freetown.

### Miss Agnes Kaufman Dead.

Miss Agnes Kaufman, well known and loved by a great number of people in this city, died at her home on East Fifth street this morning at 5:20 o'clock. Her death was due to a complication of diseases. The funeral will be held at the Kaufman home on Fifth street Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. O. G. Misamore, pastor of the St. Paul Congregational church, officiating. Interment will be conducted at River-view.

The deceased is survived by three brothers, John, Charles and Will all of Seymour, one nephew and two nieces.

### Revenue Bill Signed.

By United Press.  
Washington, February 25—President Wilson signed the \$6,000,000,000 revenue bill last night, it was officially announced today.

### Notice Farmers.

Bring your cream to the Sugar Creek Creamery Co. Open every day. Cream tested and paid for at once. 125 South Chestnut. m1d6w

Mrs. C. C. McMillan, of Chicago Heights, Ill., passed through Seymour today enroute to her home from Medora, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Sara Cummings, of Medora, was a shopping visitor here Monday.

Miss Florence Heller, of Browns-town, was here Monday shopping.

### THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I gaze in my camp  
fire and dream  
For hours at the  
close of each day.  
It gives me poetical  
thoughts—  
And it keeps the  
mosquitoes away.



### Weather Report.

Fair and much colder tonight and Wednesday with a cold wave.

### Seymour Temperatures.

Reported by Ira Bedel, government weather observer, for the twenty four hours ending at noon today.

Max. Min. February 25, 1919. 35 32

### License Notice.

All owners of dogs residing within the corporate limits of the city of Seymour are hereby notified that they must take out their licenses for the year 1919 before March 1 or be liable to arrest. All owners of motor cars must have their 1919 licenses before March 1, also, or arrests will follow.

J. T. ABELL,  
Chief of Police.

### Flour, Feed and Coal.

I am in the market for all the good white corn with no rotten, frost-bitten or mixed in it. I will pay \$1.25 per bushel. I will also sell the very best grade of flour at \$5.80 per 1/2 bbl, \$1.45 per sack at the mill. Also have plenty of good Eastern coal at \$6.50 per ton delivered in town, \$6.25 at the yard. And a full stock of all kinds of feed with prices in proportion.

d&wtf G. H. Aderson.

### Notice.

Having been released from military service, I will resume my practice in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and fitting glasses immediately.

d30dtf Dr. Chas. E. Gillespie.

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that we may share  
Save food

